Store News for To-Day

Interesting Events Happening on Every Floor To-Day.

The spirit of Christmas fills the store-in every department, on each floor, the Christmasy appearance holds forth. Xmas crowds will be here in greater force to-day on account of the Friday sales. So come early.

In the Basement.

Books of every kind, Cards, Stationery, Games, Dolls and the beautiful Silverware, Chinaware, and Bric-a-Brac Section.

On the First Floor.

Sale of Gloves; Xmas Handkerchiefs, Men's Wear,

Second Floor.

Children's Wear, Women's Garments and Furs.

Third Floor.

Homefurnishing suggestions galore.

The different sales to-day will stimulate Xmas shopping. Come early and avoid the rush as much as you

Cook Sues Restaurant Proprietor for Allena, two of Affections.

Trial began yesserday in the City Circuit
Court of the sait of Virginia Harris against
T. T. Winston for breach of promise of marriage, the damages being fixed in the sum
of \$5,000. Both parties are colored. It seems
from the allegations that Winston once ran

EAGLES ELECT OFFICERS

Maurice Powers Succeeds Cunningh President of Order.

from the allegations that Winston once rand a restaurant, at which the woman worked, and into which she put some funds on the promise of a copartnership through mar properties. Later Winston lost his bar license and the woman became the cook in the family of Capitain A. B. Guigon, who has appeared as her counsel. Cutchins and Cutchins defended Winston.

Sent to Grand Jury.

Charles Williams, alias Charles Shaw (colored), was sent to the grand jury from the Police Court yesterday on four warrants for housebreaking. There are sixteen charges against the negro, Williams is alleged to have represented himself as the agent of a pressing club, and is also charged with stealing jewelry and watches.

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Dixle Aerie, No. 123, Fraternal Order of Eagles, last night elected the following officancy in Jury for the ensuing year to be installed at the first meeting in January; Worthy Pressident, John B. Billey; Worthy Chaplain, F. Basehon; Worthy Treasurer, Thomas A. Powers and the first meeting in January.

TRUSTEES INDORSE REPUBLICANS TO CHURCHTO DISBAND BATTLE ABBEY SITE OPEN CLUB HERE

Judge Christian and Mr. Ellyson Party Leaders Plan to Move Believe Matter Should Be Speedily Closed.

Association Will Act on Plans at Quce.

The Common Council will meet tonight at \$ o'clock to hear the report of the Committee on Finance in regard to the location of the Confederate Battle Abbey. From indications yesterday the site selected at the intersection of Monument Avenue, Cleveland and Frankiin Streets meets with general approval. Even among Councilmen who would not have picked that lot or section of the city there is a general disposition to fall in line and settle a matter which has been hanging fire for the past two years and a haif. The general impression seems to be that the meeting to-night will be brief and harmonious. A meeting of the Board of Aldermen will probably be called early next week to concur in the location, so that the matter may be permanently disposed of at the earliest possible date.

"I think the site selected by the Finance Committee of the Council to be better adapted for the purposes of the Battle Abbey than any other proposed, except that in Monroe Park, which is out of the question," said Judge George L. Christian, a member of the Loard of trustees of the Council cannot be accept that in Monroe Park, which is out of the question," said Judge George L. Christian, a member of the Loard of trustees of the Council cannot be agained that it will be a reality before January 1, 1911. Definite plans are expected to be given out before the cond of the month.

May Move State Quarters.

Our plan in organization, "said one of the projectors vesterdy." "is to as the proposed to the project of the month of the project of the cond of the month of the month of the project of the month of the member of the cond of the month of the members of the organization in this city.

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The south's Largest Department Store'

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likewise unlikely to be chosen for the leadership of the Democratic hosts. He is not a man who will carry much weight out of his own section of the country.

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Bryan again, for his defeats mark him

"It would seem unwise to choose Mr. Bryan again, for his defeats mark him in the popular mind as a man of defeats, and that is a barrier that he cannot break down. He will be a conspicuous figure, no doubt, at the 1912 convention, but his influence cannot be expected to dominate it with regard to his own nomination.

"I was a member of the National Democratic Convention in 1900, and the situation then in regard to a suitable candidate for the vice-presidency was very similar to the present circumstances with reference to a nominee for the presidency. The convention simply had to cast about for a man and finally hit on Stevenson. The Illinois delegation was approached in regard to him, and seemed very luke-warm in the matter. Finally the convention selected Stevenson, though realizing that he would carry no especial strength with him. It does not seem to me that any of the people mentioned thus far will carry much weight, and a forceful man is seriously needed to come to the front and lead the party."

Small Hope of Keeping Congregation Without Mr. Jones, Leaders Assert.

Delegation Will Urge Bishop

Not to Make Change, Which

Would Be Ruinous,

Street Methodist Church if Rev. George

torate is the main ground to be pre-

sented to Bishop Morrison at Roanoke, Ala., in a plea for his retention by J.

H. Chappell and J. Lee Davis, the dele-

NEW CHARTERS ISSUED

Charters were same day by the State Corporation Commission: International Klinch Tile Corporation (Inc.), Alexandria, Va. B. G. Smith, president, Washington, D. C.; A. DuMontier, vice-president, Alexandria, Va.; E. H. Taggert, secretary and tressurer, washington, D. C. Capital: Maximum, \$200.00; ministion, O. C. Capital: Maximum, \$200.00; ministion, or constitution of the control of the contro

\$100,000. Objects.

tiling. Norfolk Building Supplies Corporation, Norfolk, Va. A. G. Glasgow, president, Richmond; C. Samson, Jr., secretary; J. A. Keeling, treasurer, both of Norfolk, Va. Capital: Maximum. \$200,000; minimum, \$40,000. Objects: Dealing in all kinds building supplies.

GAVE MANLESS SHOW

POCAHONTAS DISABLED

COUNCIL TO VOTE TO-NIGHT WILL APPLY FOR CHARTER HAS DONE GREAT WORK

Board of Confederate Memorial Members Discuss Probable Erection of Large and Attractive Home.

State Headquarters From

Roanoke.

sented to Bishop Morrison at Roanoke,
Ala., in a plea for his retention by f.
H. Chappell and J. Lee Davis, the delegation from the church sent to state its
side of the matter. After having once
removed Mr. Jones to another place
and sent him back here again at the
urgent demand of the congregation,
Bishop Morrison a short time later
assigned him to McKendree Church in
Norfolk, and the unanimous desire of
the congregation here is that the bishop
will reverse his decision so that Mr.
Jones may complete the usual period
of four years' service at the Clay
Street Church.

"During his pastorate the pastor has
welded together the people of the
church in a wonderful way," said E.
Marshall Redford, a prominent member
of the Clay Street Church last night,
"and while no reflection at all is intended upon Rev. R. M. Chandler, of
Portsmouth, the proposed successor to
Mr. Jones, the people of our church had
rather have Mr. Jones here than any
one clas in the Virginia Conference,
because we need him here. We might
be more willing to give him up if we
felt that he were needed more urgently
clsewhere, but as it is, to take him out
of the work he is doing here would
spoil all he has done, and the disastisfaction felt at his removal would seriously hurt the strength and the progress of the church. He is doing a
splendid work here, and we feel that
he ought to stay here two years more
and complete the work already begun
so well. We had decided to raise his
salary just before the news of his removal came."

At a meeting of the church held
Tuesday it was decided to send a committee to confer with Bishon Morrison
and request him to permit Mr. Jones to
remain here two prore years. Some
it me ago, carrying out his nolley of
sending the presiding elders hims, the bishop seto move the remain of the Clay Street
Church, let him stay here, and when
his recent decision to send Mr. Jones
to McKendree Church, of Norfolk, was
male known great surprise was felt
here. At the same time, the bishop seleaced Mr. Chandler to take Mr.

reaching a harmonious conclusion.

"Let the city act promptly, as I suppose it will do, and we will then be pose it will do, and we will then be ready to go to work. The board will no doubt act very promptly. I appreciate very much the interest the Council has taken, and I feel that before another Confederate reunion operations will have begun on the building, which I will promise our people shall be as beautiful as the means at our command will permit. I am sure that when it is completed, it will add another to the many beautiful memorials in this city."

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WILL SEEK NEW TRIAL IN JAMES ROBINSON CASE

South Carolinian Doesn't Believe
Bryan or Harmon Will

A motion for a new trial will be made in the Hustings Court to-day by James Rob-line (colored), recently sentenced to serve ninety days in fall for the thert of oats from the city. The application for a rehearing will be made by Autorney Kirk Matthews. Rob-line was first convicted in the Police Court, and Justice Crutchfield's verdict was see-

Bryan or Harmon Will

Do in 1912,

"Bryan will not be the next nominee of the Democratic party for the presidency," said W. B. Gruber, a prominent member of the South Carolina bar last night at the Jefferson, "and it seems to me that Harmon is likewise unlikely to be chosen for the likewise unlikely to be chosen for the likewise unlikely to be chosen for the service of the servi

Scott's Emulsion

is the original—has been the standard for thirty-five years.

River Boat Breaks Machinery and Will Be
Delayed Two Days.

Due to the breaking of a "cross head" in
the machinery of the Pocahontas near Curtis's Wharf yesterday morning, the steamer
was not able to make the trip hero. The
passengers were transferred to Nowport
News and came to this city by rail.
The Luray was ordered out of Newport
News, and is now on her way to this city
to make the return trip this morning, leaving on the regular schedule at 7 o'clock. The
Pocahontae was still tied up at Curtis's
Wharf list night, and it will probably be
two days before the broken parts, which
must be cast especially for the boat, can be
replaced. There are thousands of socalled "just as good" Emulsions, but they are not-they are simply imitations which are never as good as the original. They are like thin milk-SCOTT'S is thick like a heavy cream.

Tried to Finish Him.
Washington Brooks (colored), of 314 Abiguil Street, is in the City Home Hospital from the effects of two guishot wounds, alleged to have been infilited by Robert Lowis (colored), who is still at large. The shooting construct on the Scaboard Air Line tracks near the Locomotive Works. Brooks was first shot in the legs, but hewis, determined to finish his victim, came in closer and fired again. The contents of the second cartridge took offect in the arms and body.

Lawls was armed with a shotsum. If you want it thin, do it yourself - with water - but don't buy it thin.

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Young Carolina Couple Disappointed by Failure to Get Marriage License, But Hope to Secure One in Washington.

"Just a minute, just a minute," exclaimed a neatly dressed young man, who gave Charlotte, N. C., as his home address, as he rushed breathlessly into the office of Clerk Christian, of the Hustings of Clerk Christian, of the Hustings of Court, yesterday afternoon. "Can I get a license to be married here?" he continued, and then hesitated. "My heart is fluttering so. I have just climbed a flight of steps. The girl is outside. She lives 'down home,' and is just eighteen.

"I think exertion affected my heart, it may have been something else. I don't know much about jaw, but if you will give me a license I know it the people."

According to Charles Mettert, one of the uniformed elevator men, the prespective bridegroom sought information in several offices before he got

Whether State Tribunal's Decision Is Conclusive.

Alleging an error on the part of the Inited States Circuit Court for the the judgment of the State Supreme Court to be conclusive, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals yes-terday heard argument in the case of P. A. Willox, receiver of the George-town and Western Raliroad Company, town and Western Railroad Company, appellant, vs. Leila A. Jones, administratirix of James A. Jones, decased, appellee. Jones was killed while serving as an engineer on the railroad, and subsequently a verdict of \$7,500 damages was awarded his widow. The case was first tried in the Court of Common Pleas, of George-the Country of Common Pleas, of George-the Country S. C. and its action was country S. C. and its action was country.

piles.

Co-Operative Building and Lean Association of Norfolk (Inc.), Norfolk, Va. M. T. Friary, president; H. G. Whithead, vice-president; R. C. Taylor, secretary—all of Norfolk, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$50,000, minimum, \$20,000. Objects: Building and loan association.

Pythian Manufacturing Produce and Supply Compatly (Inc.), Newport News, Va. T. J. Pres, president; W. H. Sales, secretary; G. W. Flizgerald, secretary—all of Newport News, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$25,000. minimum, \$1,000. Objects: Coal, wood and lumber business.

Reilroad Men Supply Company (Inc.), Roanoke, Va. W. L. Andrews, president; I. M. Andrews, vice-president; A. B. Stanley, secretary and treasurer—all of Roanoke, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$1,000; minimum, \$2,000. Objects: Mercantile business. Women at Richmond College Present

"Ladles of Cranford."

Suffragettes have not yet invaded the academic shades of Richmond College, but the "co-ds" of that institution last night gave a dramatic performance that illustrated what a manless play is. Thirteen of them presented the well known "Ladles of Cranford" in excellent style and carried three acts through successfuly.

The proceeds went to the fund which the feminine students have agreed to raise for "Greater Richmond College." Some time ago they started a movement to get up among themselves \$1,000 for this purpose, and they are trying to secure a part of it by cooperative effort, and the rest by donations. They have realized a goodly sum from sales of candy at the college bookstore, and hope to add from time to the fund they are raising.

Court of Appeals Must Decide Frank W. Cunningham Summoned as Witness in Inves-

tigation of His Office.

The special committee on investigawill hold its first meeting this after-The meeting would have been called earlier in the week but for the fact been sitting on a jury in the City Cir-

widow. The case was first tried in the Court of Common Pleas, of George town county, S. C., and its action was later sustained by the Supreme Court of South Carolina.

The receiver failed to pay the judgment, and in July, 1908, the administrative filed her petition in the United States Circuit Court. On this petition Judge Brawley issued a rule requiring the appellant to show cause why the claim should not be pald. The receiver denied certain of the allegations, and put up the plea of contributory negligence. Judge Brawley subsequently held that the decision of the State Court was conclusive. The case on appeal was heard before Circuit Judge Pritcherd and District Judges Waddill and Connor.

RAILWAY EARNINGS GROW

Norfolk and Western's Monthly Statement Indicates Prespertly.

Nineteen per cent, increase in the net earnings over the same month in 1902 is shown in the monthly statement of the Narfolk and Western Railway for October, The increase in the gross earnings from the passenger, mall and express business for the month was 145,135,14, or 13 per cent, walls and the clity administration.

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The basis for the investigation will be the report made to the Committee on Finance by the special accountant report made to the Committee on Finance by the special accountant of the office of Collector Cunningham. The report made to the committee on Finance by the special accountant of the state and the coffice of Collector Cunningham. City Attorney Pollard has been asked to be present to conduct the examination.

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At the same time the operating expensed increased 21 per cent. over the same month last year. The net earnings for Ouder, 1995, were \$1.041,217,35, while in 1990 they were \$1.245,225.64 After deducting the taxes and fixed charges the surplus for the month is \$137,355.02.

In the four months from July 1 to October, 12 an increase of 17 per cent. over the corresponding period of last year is shown in gross earnings, an increase of 15 per cent. In total expenses, with an increase in net carnings of 19 per cent. Deducting taxes and fixed charges. a surplus of \$675,548.55 is shown for the four months.

Black Overcoats

Are in full swing. Grays are running a good second. Cut Fifth Avenue—if that's a guide—is showing a strong preference for the long black O'coats.

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